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THE
RESOLUTION
OF THE
PRINCES
ALLIES & CONFEDERATES,
WHICH

Has been taken in the Assembly at the
Hague, in the Month of *February 1691.*

Done out of French.

SINCE We look upon the Union that is between
Us, as the Work of God alone, it is but rea-
sonable that We should make a Solemn Pro-
testation to him to deliberate nothing in this Assembly,
but what may be very just and equitable. We there-
fore Solemnly Protest before God, that our Inten-
tions are, that We will never break off this Union,
nor make any Peace with *Lewis XIV.* 'till the fol-
lowing Articles be executed : To the Obligation of
which We oblige our selves for ever.

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H. I.

'Till he has made Reparation to the Holy-See, for whatsoever he has acted against it, and 'till he has annull'd and made void all those Infamous Proceedings against the Holy Father *Innocent XI.*

I I.

'Till he has restor'd to each Party concern'd, what he has taken since the Peace of *Munster*, and 'till he has demolish'd *Brisac*, and deliver'd up the Country of *Geay* to the Canton of *Bearn*.

I I I.

'Till he has restor'd to the Protestants all their Goods and Possessions, and 'till there be an entire Liberty of Conscience, throughout the whole extent of the *French Dominions*.

I V.

'Till the Estates of the Kingdom be re-establish'd in their Ancient Liberties; so that the Clergy, the Nobility, and the third Estate may enjoy their Ancient and Lawful Priviledges; And 'till the Kings for the future shall be oblig'd to call together the said Estates, when they desire any supply, without the Consent of Whom, they shall not raise any Mony after any manner, or for any pretence whatsoever.

V.

'Till the Tax upon Salt, that upon the third Estate, and an infinite number of other unreasonable Taxes and Impositions, be abolish'd for ever.

V I.

'Till he has restored to the Parliaments their Ancient and Rightful Authority; that so they may be enabled to distribute to every one Justice freely and without restraint, according to their Consciences. VII.

V I I.

'Till all the Towns of the Kingdom be re-establish'd in their Ancient Priviledges, and till their Revenues be restored, which have been taken from them with such violence and Injustice.

God who knows the Intention of our Hearts, knows that We bear no Hatred against the *French* Nation, and that We do not aspire to have the Lawful Dominions of the Kingdom of *France* : And if all those who are Inhabitants thereof would joyn with Us, We should soon dispatch this Affair without effusion of Blood, and without desolation of the Kingdom. And We promise all those that shall do it, that We will treat them as our particular Friends, and preserve their Towns and Possessions, as if they were our own : And as for those that shall not do it, We shall look upon them as Persons that have approv'd and abetted all these Persecutions, Burnings and other Devastations that have been made, and We will make them feel without mercy those Pains and Torments, which they have been the occasion that so many poor People have suffer'd.

We were willing that the whole World should have a perfect knowledge of our Resolutions, particularly the French Gentlemen and Persons of Honour, who are oppress'd with the heavy load of the Government, and can no longer endure the Slavery which they lye under : To the end they may be able to take such Measures as may be assisting to Us, in recovering for them their Ancient Liberty which has been so cruelly, and so unjustly taken from them.

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